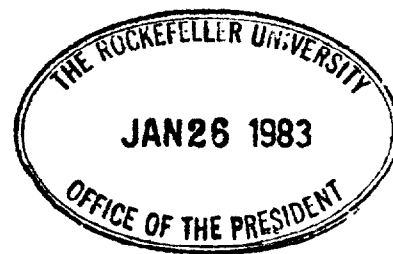




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President Joshua Lederberg  
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Dear President Lederberg:

I received my Ph.D. from Rockefeller in 1967 while Detlev Bronk was still its President. Both before and after my studies at Rockefeller, indeed throughout my scientific life, I have been committed to achieving a better conceptual understanding of the adaptive dynamics of brain and behavior.

A selection of my scientific articles has just been published in book form by Reidel Press in the series that recently published selected articles of Julian Schwinger and Norman Geschwind. I thought that you might be pleased to have such a volume by a Rockefeller graduate for your library, so I have taken the liberty of enclosing one. I have also sent a copy to Gerald Edelman in gratitude for his commitment to support theoretical advances in the neurosciences through the N.R.I.

Sincerely yours,

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